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- Preparations for a new "telephone apparatus" plant began in Nordhausen in October-November 1947. In December, local residents reported that 600 persons would be employed and that the new factory would be set up in a tobacco factory in Nordhausen.
- 2. In January 1948, the Nordhausen Labor Office was asked by what appears to be the head office at Bleicherode to procure suitable employees. Some men are to be trained, but only those who work efficiently with the REFA system (Reichspost-Elektrische-Fernmeldeapparate?) are to behired.
- Correspondence dealing with the new plant has so far avoided all mention 3. of the work to be undertaken.

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